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## COAL REPORT SHOWS BIG GAIN IN THIS DISTRICT

### Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham Gives Out Official Figures for Year 1912--6,929,233 Tons of Coal Produced.

### WASHINGTON COUNTY LEADS FAYETTE

There were 6,929,233 tons of coal mined in the Twenty-first Bituminous district of Pennsylvania during the year 1912, according to the official report just made by Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham. Of the two counties represented Washington and Fayette, the former led in production with 3,515,908 tons. Fayette's production was 3,413,325. Coal was produced by tons by the different operators in the district as follows:

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| Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Co. | 3,925,931 |
| Vesta Coal Co | 1,910,678 |
| Pittsburg Coal Co | 536,828 |
| Naomi Coal Co | 304,241 |
| Warner-Leonard Coal Co | 157,227 |
| Warner-Yough Coal Co | 24,328 |
| Total | 6 929.233 |

There were 22 fatal accidents in the mines during the year. The number of tons produced per fatal accident was 314,965. The number of persons employed per fatal accident inside the mines was 269 and both inside and outside 306. The number of persons per non-fatal accident inside and outside the mines was 293. Fifteen wives were made widows and 30 children became orphans. There were 23 non-fatal accidents inside of mines and none outside. Also all of the fatal accidents occurred inside the mines. Mr. Cunningham says of the fatal accidents:

"The fatal accidents were 13 less or 37 per cent less than in 1911. These are classified as follows: From falls of coal 18.18 per cent; from falls of slate 13.63 per cent; from falls of roof 9.10 per cent; from mine cars 36.36 per cent; from electricity 13.63 per cent; from miscellaneous causes 2 or 9.10 per cent. This is a decided improvement over 1911, which showed a classification of fatal accidents from falls of coal 11.43 per cent; slate 34.28 per cent; roof 11.43 per cent; cars 28.57 per cent; electricity 11.43 per cent and blasts 2.86 per cent. It will be noticed while the accidents from falls have been materially reduced a gain was made in the car accidents, due in this district to the large steel cars used in two of the largest mines in this district and the persons who were killed violating the mine laws and also the instructions from the mine officials by taking a chance in the care of cars by eliminating extra walking and in the case of falls by not taking time to set posts or take the loose top down. As a general rule I have noticed that when the mines are run to their full capacity, accidents are more frequent, due to the fact that there is more for men to do than they will safely accomplish."

There are 23 mines in the Twenty-first district and the number of mines in actual operation during the year was 21. The number of tons of coal used at the mines for steam and heat was 116,602. The number of tons sold to local trade and used by employes was 13,348. Tons produced by pick mining was small, comparatively, being only 1,787,697, while with the electrical machines 5,141,536 tons of coal were produced. A total of 5,938 persons were employed inside the mines and 797 outside the mines during the year.

Inspector Cunningham says: "The coal production would have been much larger had it not been for the river freezing up in the months of January and February, causing navigation to be stopped for about three weeks. Also a suspension of about three weeks resulted in April from the discussion pending the signing of the wage scale. There was a scarcity of labor during the last half of the year. In spite all contributory causes in the cutting down of the out-put in the district a gain of 213,322 tons over 1911 was realized.

"The mines in general are in excellent condition and well officered. One noticeable feature in the mines is the low percentage of employes between the ages of 16 and 21. The number is only 240. The majority of these 240 are 19 years old. The number of employes between the ages of 14 and 21 on the outside of the mines is 91."

## LICENSED APPLICANTS ARE HEARD BY COURT

### Forty-Nine Are Disposed of by Judge Taylor---Unopposed Applicants First Heard---Two Men Are Opposed

All previous licensse court records were broken at Washington Monday, when Judge J. F. Taylor heard 40 applicants in the short space of 20 minutes. There were no remonstrances against any of these, in which were included the applications from Charleroi for the seven hotels already holding license.

A total of 49 applications were heard Monday. Of this number 37 were for retail licenses, five distillers and seven brewers. Of the applicants examined 29 were old ones for retail licensess against whom no charges or remonstrances had been filed, one transfer of retail license, two applicants against whom charges were filed and five new retailers. One retail applicant for a restaurant license at Donora withdrew his application Monday afternoon.

The 11 applications to be heard today consist of eight retailers, two wholesalers and one brewer. It is the intention of the court to try and wind up license court this evening. The applicants will then not have long to wait as it is thought that the opinion of the court will be handed down on Wednesday.

Albert H. Furlong and W. H. Coulson, against whom remonstrances were filed, who seek renewals in Roscoe, admitted attending a beer party on a Sunday. Mr. Furlong stated that he supplied the beer as a treat to his friends who expected something of the kind, and he took this method to avoid treating at his bar. The beer, he said, was delivered on Saturday. The court expressed disapproval of such methods, saying it was in effect a reward to his friends for signing his petition.

General remonstrances have been filed against the most of the new applications, and these will be heard today.

## NORTH CHARLEROI BOROUGH NOW IN SHAPE TO INSTALL PROPOSED EXTENSIONS TO SEWER SYSTEM

North Charleroi borough is now in shape to go ahead with the installation of proposed extensions to its sewer system. At the regular monthly meeting of the borough council at that place Monday night Tom P. Sloan chairman of the street committee reported that plans of the proposed system filed some time ago with the State Department of Health at Harrisburg had been approved. This was the last step necessary before the borough could get the work under way.

The tax levy was set for the ensuing year by council at 12 mills. This is one mill less than last year. Ten mills of the assessment is to be set apart for general purposes and two mills will be placed in the sinking fund.

Treasurer S. W. Sharpneck made his report of the finances for the month of January, showing the following summary of receipts and expenditures:

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| Receipts | $867.04 |
| Balance | 5,232.43 |
| Total | $6,099.47 |
| Disbursements | 472.16 |
| Balance in treasury | $5,627.31 |

Bills were ordered paid amounting to $1,097.60. The auditor's report for the year was received and accepted. The auditors are Harry Williams, Seth Bane and Thomas Sharpneck.

In the absence of President David Schafer, Herman Nebulung presided.

## DIRECT ELECTION OF SENATORS IS FAVORED

### Upper Body of State Takes Vote on Proposition ---Local Option Bill Framed and Presented by Representative

### VOTE ON QUESTION FOR CITY UNITS

Harrisburg, Feb. 4—By the decisive vote of 193 to 3 the proposed amendment to the United States constitution to elect United States senators directly by the people was ratified in the house Monday. One of the three who opposed the bill was R. J. Baldwin of Delaware, who in a fervent speech went on record as believing that the people were not qualified to govern themselves and that officials elected for that purpose—like himself, for instance—could govern infinitely better. The big majority for the amendment is taken to indicate the progressive sentiment in the house.

The Democratic "corrupt practices" bill was presented in the house Monday by John T. Matt, Democrat of Bedford county. It limits expenses of candidates as follows: United States Senatorss, $12,500; Governor, $10,000; Congressmen, $3,500; Senators, $1,000 and Representatives, $500, and all other candidates over 10 per cent of salary for first year. In fee offices the limit is one-third of the fees received by the office in the fiscal year preceding. All advertising except newspapers and personal letters is prohibited, including booklets, programs, etc. Candidates are prohibited from contributing to ox roasts, picnics and other affairs.

The Anti-Saloon League's local option bill, framed at a conference of legislators and temperance workers last Wednesday, was offered by Mr. Rockwell of Tioga. It provides that upon petition of 25 per cent of the registered voters of any county an election may be ordered in any county of the state to determine whether it shall be "wet" or "dry." However where there are cities of 10,000 or more they shall vote independently of the remainder of the county determining the local option question for themselves. The bill does not affect any existing local option laws and provides that elections to decide the saloon question shall not be held more than once in three years.

A lockout of lobbyists was ordered by Chief Clerk Kephart of the state senate and for the first time in years the lobby was not only kept outside of the Senate rails but out of the senate chamber as well. Representatives of many different interests, lawyers, medical men, cold storage people, book trust agents, solicitors for appropriations and others interested in promoting or killing legislation were not permitted to pass through the doors of the Senate.

The Rockwell resolution for the woman suffrage amendment to the constitution passed first reading, as did the 17 other bills on the first reading calendar.

Senator Judson introduced a bill appropriating $12,000 to the City hospital, Washington. Another Judson bill prohibits the depositing of glass or metal upon highways.

Representative Brownlee introduced a resolution in the houses changing the method of seating representatives by lots. His bill for method of determining whether a judgment entered in court is a lien on any particular real estate was introduced.

**A Peculiar Measure.**

Thousands of dollars from the coffers of Washington county and a number of new jobs to give out are in store for Recorder of Deeds J. Chester Sutherland if a bill introduced by Representative S. J. Gans of Philadelphia becomes a law. The bill provides that it shall be the duty of the recorder of deeds of the respective counties of the state "whenever in his opinion it shall become necessary to have copied or transcribed in a fair and reasonable manner any books or record in his office which may be certified by him to be dilapidated, fading, injured or jeopardized from any other cause, the work to be done by transcribing clerks in his office and the cost of such copy or transcription shall be certified by the recorder of deeds and be paid for out of the county funds upon orders drawn by the commissioners on the treasury of the proper county."

## TIMELY POINTERS GIVEN BY THE COURT FOR CONSTABLES' GUIDANCE

### Judge McIlvaine Instructs Township Peace Officers as to Their Duties---Warn, Then Prosecute.

Judge J. A. McIlvaine and District Attorney R. G. Miller both made suggestions to the constables Monday, when they made their quarterly returns, as to certain authority that they had, which the court and district attorney both believe would stop a great many violations of the law, and without any cost to the county. Judge McIlvaine, when the returns had all been handed in, stated that he wished to say a word to the constables as to their duties. He stated that

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## YEAR-OLD CHILD MEASLES VICTIM

From an attack of the measles from which he had suffered about a week, Frank Gobanets, aged one year and six months died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gobanets, at 1208 Crest avenue, this morning. Others children are ill of the disease. The child was the first in Charleroi to die as a result of measles.

See the big three reel special at the Star today, "The Queen of Carmargue." Also other good ones. 163-t2

## NO STRIKE AT DONORA BIG MILLS

There seems to be little likelihood that the strike now on at Rankin will spread to Donora. Union organizers are said to have tried to secure a foothold in Donora only to meet with discouragement. Last Saturday a new wage scale was put into effect, calling for an increase of wages for practictlly every man employed in the mills and offices. The men averaging a pay of $4 per day received an advancement of ten per cent. Those making less than an average of $4 per day received an advancement in wages of 20 per cent. In the face of this increase, the mill workers are understood to look coldly upon the prospect of striking.

## VICTROLA RECITAL ATTRACTS INTEREST

Much interest is being manifested tonight in the Victrola recital to be given at the First Baptist church. The affair to be given under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's Union will be out of the ordinary, and the program to be rendered will be of the best. The Baptist Young People's Union with this event is beginning a series of affairs for the building fund of the church. The program is to be started at 8 o'clock tonight and will be followed by a social.

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## SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT GROWING

Votes for women had four big state victories during the past week. In New York, the equal suffrage bill passed both houses of the legislature by the overwhelming majorities of 123 to 7 in the house and 46 to 1 in the senate. As in Pennsylvania so in New York, the bill must be passed again by the next legislature and can then be submitted to the people in November 1915. The equal suffrage bill passed both houses of the legislature in Montana and South Dakota. As the constitutions of these two states do not require that an amendment be agreed to by two submitted to the voters in November 1914. In Nevada, the equal suffrage bill has already passed one legislature and last week was passed by the general assembly for the second time. If passed by the senate, it will come before the people in November 1914 or at as pecial election in October, 1913.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY ENJOYABLE EVENT

Miss Erma Holyfield was tendered a surprise by a number of her girl friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield on Fallowfield avenue Monday evening. The event was arranged as a birthday party. The guest list consisted of the members of the Bachelor Girls' club, of which Miss Holyfield is a member and several other friends. Music was one of the chief diversions. A most enjoyable time was had.

## PLEAS OF GUILT BRING QUICK SENTENCES TO MANY OFFENDERS

### CHARLEROI LAD WINNER OF RACE

The two mile roller race at the Charleroi Rink Monday was won by Lew Hornetter of Charleroi in the fast time of 6:35. Powell took the lead at the gun and retained it for the first mile, when Hornetter with a fine burst of speed passed him and gained a lap, which he held until the end.

Both boys showed fine speed and much interest was manifested by the large crowd that was present. The timers were John J. Bell of Pittsburg, Mr. Phillips of California. The referee was H. L. Swickey of Charleroi.

Ralph Bayne is spending the day in Uniontown on business.

### Tom Timber, of Canonsburg, Said to be Concerned in White Slave Traffic, Admits Wrongdoing.

Tom Timber of Canonsburg, arrested on seven charges, for selling liquor without license and on Sunday, keeping a bawdy house and pandering admitted his guilt before the court Monday of all the charges. Timber is one that is alleged to have connected with the white slave trade extending through several towns, news of which was given out by District Attorney R. G. Miller last week. At the suggestion of District Attorney Miller the court deferred sentence until later and Timber was remanded to

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## THE PREVENTIVE METHOD.

At the quarterly returns of the constables at the meeting of the grand jury at Washington Monday, Judge J. A. McIlvaine gave some instructions and advice. which if carried out will have a material effect in preserving law and order. as well as saving the county many dollars in costs. This advice was for the constables to go to those whom they suspect of violating the law and warn them that they are under suspicion, and that if they persist in violating the law they will be returned and prosecuted. This, the court, said, would in most cases have a restraining effect and would reduce the violations of the law fully fifty per cent.

Judge McIlvaine's instructions were approved by District Attorney R. G. Miller, who stated that he had outlined a similar course for the constables to follow. This procedure if vigorously carried out by the constables will do more toward preventing violations than the occasional arrest and prosecutions of flagrant offenders. In this respect the constables can be materially assisted by the citizens, many of whom have a knowledge of violations of the law, but would be unable to furnish specific testimony. A warning from the officers of the law has a most potent influence in restraining violations,and this is what is most desired—to prevent violations of the law, rather than to catch and prosecute offenders.

## COLD STORAGE.

The cold storage question has latterly assumed such an importance in the daily life of the people that members of the present legislature at Harrisburg are certain to deal with it in a different spirit from their predecessors, says the Philadelphia Press. Two years ago a bill to regulate the cold storage business in Pennsylvania was fought without intermission to the end. It finally died with hundreds of other bills when the adjournment came.

"The temper of the public was not fully aroused then. Cold storage was not recognized as a dominating factor in the increasing cost of living. The people are better informed now. Massachusetts had had a law regulating cold storage for several years. During the recent campaign to sell eggs in Philadelphia at twenty-four cents a dozen it was alleged that the supplies were forced on the market by the New York law which prevents the sale of eggs after they have been longer than eight months in cold storage.

"Whether this was true or not, the fact remains that the people of Massachusetts has had a law regulating states are protected from the sale of food which has been kept too long in cold storage and the people of Pennsylvania are not. Such a statute is in the line of progressive legislation in which all parties are equally interested. It is essential to the public health and the public welfare.

"All should unite in framing an act which will give the largest possible measure of protection to the public, insuring pure and healthful food. A time limit should be set on the cold storage of different articles of diet. Experience in other states has clearly shown what this limit should be for meats, eggs and butter. To that end all provisions in cold storage should be dated and frequent inspection provided. together with such other regulations as will make the Pennsylvania law a model.

"The need of the law is self-evident and this is a year in which the voice of the people is heard with attention as never before by any legislature."

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Well did you ever. One fellow is trying to prove that his wife's Reno divorce wasn't a good one.

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A society leader says the turkey trot is all right when it is not overdone. Uh huh, its about as graceful as a camel lope.

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Washington students are planning to break up the suffragette parade by the use of mice and rats. Heavings, girls, let's don't march.

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Another revolution has been reported in Mexico. But that's merely perpetual motion.

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Perhaps the turkey trot wouldn't be so bad if the orchestra didn't try to accompany it with Turkish ragtime.

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Vesta No. 4 is the biggest coal mine in the world. Of course it has to be in Washington county.

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It seems to be a common human failure for one to believe he can do the other man's work a heap better than the other man is doing it.

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Berger says Congressmen are on the whole honest. Inasmuch as he is a Socialist and a lonely one at that in the present Congress, his word will be believed.

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It looks as though the groundhog would have to be believed whether he is popular or not.

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Ingratitude is a hobo in jail during hard winter insurrection taking to get out.

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**Grip.**

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Hot, then freezing,
Shaking, aching,
Trembling, quaking;
Weary, bleary,
Sad and dreary,
Sore, too, raw, too,
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## PICKED UP IN PASSING

The Canonsburg Notes states that a citizen of that town who was in Pittsburg recently stopped in a restaurant to get his supper. With his dessert he concluded to order cake, and finally selected a variety called Washington. It proved to be delicious; it was white as snow and in every way a splendid bit of pastry.

Next time the Cononsburger was in this restaurant he called for Washington cake, and the waiter brought him a slice of dark-colored stuff. The patron at once "called" the waiter and reminded him that what he wanted was Washington cake not the kind that had been brought him. But the waiter insisted that this particular variety was Washington cake, whereupon the Cononsburg man replied:

"Well, I don't care if it is; what I want is George Washington cake, not Booker T."

"I am often tempted to publish a code of ethics for those who attend moving picture shows," said a woman of the hilltop district, who has the moving picture habit in a rational way. "What I would like to impress upon people is that when they arise to let others pass them to seats further in the row, that they should remember that they are not transparent and sit down as quickly as possible. Women are the worst offenders in this respect. I have often seen a woman, sometimes two or three in a group, come in, and deliberately remain standing at their seats until they remove their hats and wraps and even become absorbed in watching the pictures, apparently unconscious that those behind them have their view utterly obstructed.

"One of the mysteries to me is why some persons invariably occupy the middlde or end seats of a row, and then stand up, obstructing the view of those behind them, while those who came in later crowd past to occupy the seats between the obstructor and the wall. One seat in a row is usually as good as another and if people would only make it an unwritten code to take the farthest seat in the row, and leave the unoccupied ones for newcomers, a lot of inconveniences to the audience would be avoided.

"In spite of the unwritten law about removing hats, many women and girls persist in wearing their head coverings, indifferent to the annoyance they cause others. This indifference, however, is only typical of the selfish spirit that seems to pervade society, from the highest to the lowest types. When you look about you, it is surprising how little regard people have for the rights and feelings of others, which is really the cause of the lack of civic virtue that is everywhere apparent."

## TIMELY POINTERS GIVEN BY COURT FOR CONSTABLES' GUIDANCE

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he had noticed that one or two constables had stated they had suspicions of violations of the law. The court stated to the officers that it was their duty, as officers in a township, ward or borough, besides making a return to the court, to go to parties whom they suspect are violating the law, and tell them of their suspicions and warn them to cease what they are doing.

"Your duties," the court stated, "are the same as a policeman's. You can go to those, alleged to be violating the law, tell them to stop, or otherwise be prosecuted."

The court stated that if these vio- a good many complaints reached the court concerning boys under 18 years of age frequenting pool rooms, and gambling in pool rooms and of the sale of cigarets to minors. The court impressed upon the constables to keep their eyes open and if they observed or learned of these things to go to the parties violating the law, tell them to stop, and if they did not do so prosecute them.

"If you would do this," the court stated, "you would reduce violations of the law 50 per cent, without any exertion on your part or any costs to the county."

The court stated it knew the difficulties constables had in securing evidence in cases, on account of witnesses not being reliable, but that by exercising the prerogative stated above they could accomplish considerable.

The court stated that is these violators of the law were warned and knew they were watched they would cease what they were doing.

District Attorney Miller, stated the court had outlined about what he had in mind. He referred to violation of the law in the playing of pea pool in billiard rooms, and of the sale of cigarets to minors. A large majority of the constables answered the roll call.


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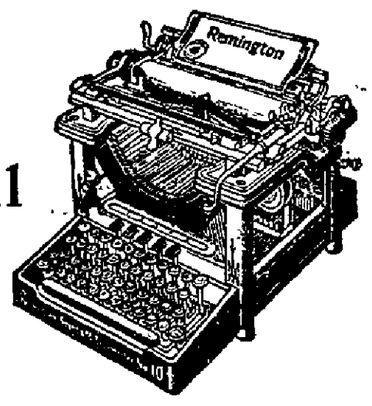


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# OVER THE COUNTY

**Institute a Success.**

The second of the district institutes being held throughout the county by County Superintendent L. R. Crumrine was held at Claysville Saturday and proved a complete success. More than forty teachers from Claysville and surrounding districts were in attendance and a number of directors were also present.

**To Dedicate School Building.**

The Bentleyville public school building which has undergone extensive improvements the past few months, will be rededicated on Friday evening, February 7, with appropriate exercises. A program for the occasion has been arranged. A feature of the exercise will be the presentation of a fine large American flag to the school by the members of the Daughters of American Pioneers.

**Charged With Violating Mine Laws.**

On information made by Mine Inspector Charles P. McGregor, John Bailey was committed to jail in default of bail for violation of the mining laws. Bailey, who was employed in the Francis mine of the Pittsburg-Buffalo Coal company at Burgettstown, had passed a danger signal. He plead guilty to the charge.

**Called to Illinois Church.**

Rev. R. T. Lynd of Claysville has received a unanimous call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Morris, Ill. Morris is a growing town of 5,000 population and is the county seat of Grundy county. It is situated about 20 miles from Joliet and about 60 miles from Chicago. Mr. Lynd has taken the call under advisement.

**Basket Ball.**

Donora Five will play Charleroi at the Charleroi Rink Thursday Feb. 6, 1913. Both teams have been going good and a fast game is promised. Game called at 8:45. Skating before and after. Admission 25 cents including skates. 164-t3

**Dancing Wednesday.**

In Might's Auditorium. Private lessons from 2 to 4 and 7 to 8:30. Children's lessons 4 to 6. Dancing 8:30 to 11:39. R. O. Blackburn instructor. 164-t1


# MRS. HOWARD WAGNER

**Writes Personal Letter to Her Druggist About a Bad Cough.**

Mrs. Howard Wagner of Milton, Pa., writes her druggist as follows: "For two months I suffered from a bad cold, from which I could get no relief then I began to cough and would cough until midnight every night. I consulted a doctor and took two kinds of medicine but without benefit. One day seeing Vinol your cod liver and iron medicine advertised in my paper, I sent for a bottle. After taking it the second day I did not cough so much and felt stronger and at the end of a week I could go to bed and sleep without coughing once. I have now taken in all six bottles and I never felt better in my life. I have a fine appetite and have gained twelve pounds. As Vinol has helped me so much I want others to know about it."

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# ASH WEDNESDAY EARLIER THAN IN HALF A CENTURY

Tomorrow, February 5, will be the earliest Ash Wednesday to be celebrated in a half century. Throughout the country Catholic and the Protestant Episcopal churches will observe the day by the distribution of ashes. The ceremony consists of prayers for the penitent and the faithful approaching and kneeling at the altar rails while the priests will put ashes on their foreheads and say: "Remember, man thou art dust and unto dust shalt thou return."

Services will be held at St. Jerome's Catholic church in the morning at 8 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock.

# PURE FOOD LAWS ENFORCED DURING ADMINISTRATION

Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust has issued a statement to the effect that during the first two years of Governor Tener's administration the agents of the food bureau purchased and the chemists analyzed 15,397 food samples, and that there were terminated 2,078 cases for violations of the various food laws. The money received by the bureau from fines, costs and license fees totaled $257,118.97, while for the maintenance of the bureau the expenditures were $164,941.70, or $92,177.27 more than self-sustaining. The commissioner noted that all money received by the bureau is paid at once into the State Treasury for the use of the Commonwealth and that the bureau is maintained exclusively from a specific legislative appropriation. The years 1911 and 1912, the first two years of Governor Tener's administration, break all records for effective work since the food bureau was created.


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# KELLY-ALCOTT NUPTIALS SAID THIS MORNING

Nuptial high mass was celebrated by Rev. W. D. Fries at St. Jerome's Catholic church this morning at 8 o'clock when Miss Marie Alcott of Charleroi became the bride of Edward Kelly of Allenport. A large concourse of friends of the couple were present. Miss Alcott who was attired in a handsome traveling suit was attended by Miss Marie Connelly of Charleroi, Thomas Alcott of Donora, a brother of the bride was best man for the groom.

After the ceremony the couple left on a morning train, together with a number of their friends for Donora, where there was a wedding breakfast served at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Margaret Alcott. Tonight the couple will leave for Cleveland, Ohio, where they will spend several days. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will go to housekeeping in Allenport, where a home has already been furnished.

The young couple have a wide circle of friends who extend congratulations and good wishes.

**School Board to Meet.**

Tonight will be the regular meeting of the school board and matters of regular monthly business will be taken up by the directors.


***A Word to the Borrower***

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Men's $2.50 Soft Hats .....$1.48
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| 15.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now | 9.75 | 3.50 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now | 2.50 |
| 18.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now | 13.75 | 4.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now | 3.00 |
| 20.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now | 14.50 | 5.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now | 3.75 |
| 22.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now | 16.50 | 6.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now | 4.25 |
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## SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

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Miss Nora Wright left today for her home in Carmichaels after visiting here with relatives.

Dr. H. H. Hill left this morning for Philadelphia on a business trip.

Mrs Laura Hager of Moundsville, W. Va., was a visitor in Charleroi Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Hunter went to Washington today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Warne, the wife of her cousin, Boyd Warne, Esq.

## SQUAB SUPPER SERVED AS RESULT OF BILLIARD MATCH

As a penalty for losing in a billard tournament at the Elks Home, J. B. Schaffer's team, composed of 22 members, banquetted the winning team composed of a like number under the captaincy of R. O. Vetter Monday evening. About 70 members and guests of the two teams were in attendance. A squab supper was served, at which the "Bingville" orchestra discoursed music. After the supper there was a jury trial of several of the members for offenses of omission and commission during the tournament. This was exceedingly spirited and productive of much fun. Convictions were secured in some of the cases and suitable penalties imposed. The supper was a happy culmination of a most enjoyable tournament.

### Cashier Resigns.

Adolph Homann, who for several years has been cashier of the First National Bank of Monessen has resigned that position and will leave in April for San Francisco, where he has accepted a position of responsibility and trust with the Mutual Life Insurance company.

Thre will be a dance given in the Bank Hall, Charleroi on Tuesday, February 4 by Spridak Bros., managers. Music furnished by Vezelte and Jones Orchestra. 163-t2

## NORTH CHARLEROI

Andrew Scott called on friends in Monessen Monday.

O. R. Chew is slowly recovering from a slight attack of pneumonia.

Leroy Honsaker was visiting friends and relatives in Brownsville Sunday.

Frank Phillips and Ed. Newell were calling on friends in Monongahela Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskil and children attended church in Fayette City Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Zimmerman and son Lloyd visited the former's mother, Mrs. Caroline Moss of Carroll township Sunday.

Herman Phillips returned to his home near Uniontown Sunday evening after spending a few days with his sisters Miss Grace Phillips and Mrs. Lenora Foulks.

Miss Helen Phillops a student of the public school has been very ill for about a week at her home on Fourth street. She is slowly improving.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brant have been very ill with diptheria.

The Valley Crystal Ice and Cold Storage company are sending large orders away by freight. Monday they sent two cars of apples away.

Miss Edna Weight has resumed her school duties after being ill with tonsilitis for a few weeks.

Miss Mamie Rockwell a teacher of room No. 2 in the public school has been off duty for about a week with tonsilitis and is now suffering with quinsey. Her place is being filled by a substitute.

W. J. Foulks and Herman Phillips visited Mrs. William McCreary at Monessen Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Linn of Washington was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and Mrs. Hiram Myers for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. McGirr of North side, Pittsburg visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Hiram Myers of this place and Mrs. G. T. Crosby of Belle Vernon were shopping in Pittsburg Friday.

Word was received here recently from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Acker of Mount Claire, near Philadelphia, of the death of their two-year-old son. Just two weeks ago they buried their five-year-old daughter. Both children died from the effects of measels. Mrs. Acker was formerly Miss Louie Higginbotham of this place

Thomas Richey returned to his home Sunday evening to Northside, Pittsburg after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Myers a few days.

Mrs. H. M. Boyer and Miss Anna Duvall spent Sunday at McKees Rocks.

Ralph Richards of Pittsburg called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Scott of North side, Pittsburg visited her sister Mrs. Belle McCule for a few days.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooper are suffering from the chicken-pox.

Edward Newell visited friends in Monongahela Sunday evening.

Mrs. B. W. Boyer was visiting friends in Belle Vernon Monday.

Joseph Nutt of Doylestown, Bucks county is visiting friends and relatives here.

## PLEAS OF GUILT BRING QUICK SENTENCES TO OFFENDERS

(Continued from page one.)

jail.

A number of pleas of guilty were heard by Judge McIlvaine. Among them were: James L. Mason, of McDonald, for selling liquor illegally, also for carrying a gun, sentenced to total fine on all charges of $551 and sent to jail for six months; John Krofa, of Meadowlands, for selling liquor illegally, sentenced to four months in jail, the same sentence for the same charges was given to George Hillman, of Monongahela; Samuel Asbury of Washignton, for assaulting Ned Williams, a street car conductor, sentenced to pay fine of $1 and costs and undergo imprisonment for 60 days; Ollie Phillips, of Burgettstown, for larceny, sentenced to pay costs and fine of $1 and undergo imprisonment for 60 days; Louis Maleppa of Canonsburg for violations of the liquor laws, sentence suspended because of sickness at home; Vino Fortunato, of Marianna for wantonly pointing firearms, sentenced to pay costs and fine of $50 and to undergo imprisonment for five months in the workhouse; John Bailey of Burgettstown, for passing danger board in a mine, sentenced to $10 fine and costs or 30 days in jail; Isaac Levenstein of Cecil for keeping a gambling house, fined $50 and ordered to pay costs; James Kennedy of Canonsburg, relased on parole; Thomas Maloney of Ellsworth, for failure to support wife and children, sentenced to pay his wife $4 a week; Francis O'Farrel, Mike Carr and Fred. Abray, for malicious mischief, sentenced to pay fine each of $3 and costs.

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## PAVING PETITION MAY BE PRESENTED TO COUNCIL TONIGHT

Council will hold its regular February meeting tonight. The routine of monthly business is scheduled. It is understood also that a petition for paving of a portion of Fallowfield avenue at the lower end of town will be presented. This petition is five years old, but for the occasion will be rejuvenated.

### Episcopal Services Tomorrow.

Tomorrow being Ash Wednesday, services will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal church at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which will be an address and celebration of the communion.

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# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

VOL. XIII. NO. 164 — CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1913 — ONE CENT


# COAL REPORT SHOWS BIG GAIN IN THIS DISTRICT

## Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham Gives Out Official Figures for Year 1912--6,929,233 Tons of Coal Produced.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY LEADS FAYETTE

There were 6,929,233 tons of coal mined in the Twenty-first Bituminous district of Pennsylvania during the year 1912, according to the official report just made by Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham. Of the two counties represented Washington and Fayette, the former led in production with 3,515,908 tons. Fayette's production was 3,413,325. Coal was produced by tons by the different operators in the district as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Co. | 3,925,931 |
| Vesta Coal Co | 1,910,678 |
| Pittsburg Coal Co | 536,828 |
| Naomi Coal Co | 304,241 |
| Warner-Leonard Coal Co | 157,227 |
| Warner-Yough Coal Co | 24,328 |
| Total | 6 929,233 |

There were 22 fatal accidents in the mines during the year. The number of tons produced per fatal accident was 314,965. The number of persons employed per fatal accident inside the mines was 269 and both inside and outside 306. The number of persons per non-fatal accident inside and outside the mines was 293. Fifteen wives were made widows and 30 children became orphans. There were 28 non-fatal accidents inside of mines and none outside. Also all of the fatal accidents occurred inside the mines. Mr. Cunningham says of the fatal accidents:

"The fatal accidents were 18 less or 37 per cent less than in 1911. These are classified as follows: From falls of coal 18.18 per cent; from falls of slate 13.63 per cent; from falls of roof 9.10 per cent; from mine cars 36.36 per cent; from electricity 13.63 per cent; from miscellaneous causes 2 or 9.10 per cent. This is a decided improvement over 1911, which showed a classification of fatal accidents from falls of coal 11.48 per cent; slate 34.-28 per cent; roof 11.43 per cent; cars 28.57 per cent; electricity 11.43 per cent and blasts 2 86 per cent It will be noticed while the accidents from falls have been materially reduced a gain was made in the car accidents, due in this district to the large steel cars used in two of the largest mines in this district and the persons who were killed violating the mine laws and also the instructions from the mine officials by taking a chance in the care of cars by eliminating extra walking and in the case of falls by not taking time to set posts or take the loose top down. As a general rule I have noticed that when the mines are run to their full capacity, accidents are more frequent, due to the fact that there is more for men to do than they will safely accomplish."

There are 23 mines in the Twenty-first district and the number of mines in actual operation during the year was 21. The number of tons of coal used at the mines for steam and heat was 116,602. The number of tons sold to local trade and used by employes was 13,348. Tons produced by pick mining was small, comparatively, being only 1,787,697, while with the electrical machines 5,141,536 tons of coal were produced. A total of 5,938 persons were employed inside the mines and 797 outside the mines during the year.

Inspector Cunningham says. "The coal production would have been much larger had it not been for the river freezing up in the months of January and February, causing navigation to be stopped for about three weeks. Also a suspension of about three weeks resulted in April from the discussion pending the signing of the wage scale. There was a scarcity of labor during the last half of the year. In spite all contributory causes in the cutting down of the out-put in the district a gain of 213,-322 tons over 1911 was realized.

"The mines in general are in excellent condition and well officered. One noticeable feature in the mines is the low percentage of employes between th ages of 16 and 21. The number is only 240. The majority of these 240 are 19 years old. The number of employes between the ages of 14 and 21 on the outside of the mines is 91."

# *LICENSED APPLICANTS ARE HEARD BY COURT*

## Forty-Nine Are Disposed of by Judge Taylor--- Unopposed Applicants First Heard--- Two Men Are Opposed

All previous licensse court records were broken at Washington Monday, when Judge J. F. Taylor heard 40 applicants in the short space of 20 minutes. There were no remonstrances against any of these, in which were included the applications from Charleroi for the seven hotels already holding license.

A total of 49 applications were heard Monday. Of this number 37 were for retail licenses, five distillers and seven brewers. Of the applicants examined 29 were old ones for retail licensess against whom no charges or remonstrances had been filed, one transfer of retail license, two applicants against whom charges were filed and five new retailers. One retail applicant for a restaurant license at Donora withdrew his application Monday afternoon.

The 11 applications to be heard today consist of eight retailers, two wholesalers and one brewer. It is the intention of the court to try and wind up license court this evening. The applicants will then not have long to wait as it is thought that the opinion of the court will be handed down on Wednesday

# NORTH CHARLEROI BOROUGH NOW IN SHAPE TO INSTALL PROPOSED EXTENSIONS TO SEWER SYSTEM

North Charleroi borough is now in shape to go ahead with the installation of proposed extensions to its sewer system. At the regular monthly meeting of the borough council at that place Monday night Tom P. Sloan chairman of the street committee reported that plans of the proposed system filed some time ago with the State Department of Health at Harrisburg had been approved. This was the last step necessary before the borough could get the work under way.

The tax levy was set for the ensuing year by council at 12 mills. This is one mill less than last year. Ten mills of the assessment is to be set apart for general purposes and two mills will be placed in the sinking fund.

Treasurer S. W. Sharpneck made his report of the finances for the month of January, showing the following summary of receipts and expenditures:

| | |
|---|---|
| Receipts | $867 04 |
| Balance | 5,232.43 |
| Total | $6,099.47 |
| Disbursements | 472.16 |
| Balance in treasury | $5,627.31 |

Bills were ordered paid amounting to $1,097.60. The auditor's report for the year was received and accepted The auditors are Harry Williams, Seth Bane and Thomas Sharpneck.

In the absence of President David Schafer, Herman Nebulung presided.

# DIRECT ELECTION OF SENATORS IS FAVORED

## Upper Body of State Takes Vote on Proposition --Local Option Bill Framed and Presented by Representative

## VOTE ON QUESTION FOR CITY UNITS

Harrisburg, Feb. 4—By the decisive ed by Chief Clerk Kephart of the vote of 193 to 8 the proposed state senate and for the first time in amendment to the United States constitution to elect United States senators directly by the people was ratified in the house Monday One of the three who opposed the bill was R. J. Baldwin of Delaware, who in a fervent speech went on record as believing that the people were not qualified to govern themselves and that officials elected for that purpose—like himself, for instance—could govern infinitely better The big majority for the amendment is taken to indicate the progressive sentiment in the house.

The Democratic "corrupt practices" bill was presented in the house Monday by John T. Matt, Democrat of Bedford county. It limits expenses of candidates as follows: United States Senatorss, $12.500: Governor, $10,000; Congressmen, $3.500: Senators, $1.000 and Representative, $500, and all other candidates over 10 per cent of salary for first year In fee offices the limit is one-third of the fees received by the office in the fiscal year preceding. All advertising except newspapers and personal letters is prohibited, including posters, programs, etc. Candidates are prohibited from contributing to ox roasts, picnics and other affairs.

The Anti-Saloon League's local option bill, framed at a conference of legislators and temperance workers last Wednesday, was offered by Mr. Rockwell of Tioga. It provides that upon petition of 25 per cent of the registered voters of any county an election may be ordered in any county of the state to determine whether it shall be "wet" or "dry." However where there are cities of 10.000 or more they shall vote independently of the remainder of the county determining the local option question for themselves. The bill does not affect any existing local option laws and provides that elections to decide the saloon question shall not be held more than once in three years.

A lockout of lobbyists was ordered by the house Monday. One of the lobbyists was not only kept outside of the Senate halls but out of the senate chamber as well Representatives of many different interests, lawyers, medical men, cold storage people, book trust agents, solicitors for appropriations and others interested in promoting or killing legislation were not permitted to pass through the doors of the Senate

The Rockwell resolution for the woman suffrage amendment to the constitution passed first reading, as did the 17 other bills on the first reading calendar.

Senator Judson introduced a bill appropriating $12.000 to the City hospital, Washington. Another Judson bill prohibits the depositing of glass or metal upon highways.

Representative Brownlee introduced a resolution in the houses changing the method of seating representatives by lots. His bill for method of determining whether a judgment entered in court is a lien on any particular real estate was introduced.

### A Peculiar Measure.

Thousands of dollars from the coffers of Washington county and a number of new jobs to give out are in store for Recorder of Deeds J. Chester Sutherland if a bill introduced by Representative S. J. Gans of Philadelphia becomes a law. The bill provides that it shall be the duty of the recorder of deeds of the respective counties of the state "whenever in his opinion it shall become necessary to have copied or transcribed in a fair and reasonable manner any books or record in his office which may be certified by him to be dilapidated, fading, injured or jeopardized from any other cause, the work to be done by transcribing clerks in his office and the cost of such copy or transcription shall be certified by the recorder of deeds and be paid for out of the county funds upon orders drawn by the commissioners on the treasury of the proper county."

# TIMELY POINTERS GIVEN BY THE COURT FOR CONSTABLES' GUIDANCE

## Judge McIlvaine Instructs Township Peace Officers as to Their Duties---Warn, Then Prosecute.

Judge J. A. McIlvaine and District Attorney R. G. Miller both made suggestions to the constables Monday, when they made their quarterly returns, as to certain authority that they had, which the court and district attorney both believe would stop a great many violations of the law, and without any cost to the county. Judge McIlvaine, when the returns had all been handed in, stated that he wished to say a word to the constables as to their duties. He stated that

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## YEAR-OLD CHILD MEASLES VICTIM

From an attack of the measles from which he had suffered about a week, Frank Gobanets, aged one year and six months died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gobanets, at 1208 Crest avenue, this morning. Others children are ill of the disease. The child was the first in Charleroi to die as a result of measles.

See the big three reel special at the Star today, "The Queen of Carmargue." Also other good ones. 163-t2

# NO STRIKE AT DONORA BIG MILLS

There seems to be little likelihood that the strike now on at Rankin will spread to Donora. Union organizers are said to have tried to secure a foothold in Donora only to meet with discouragement. Last Saturday a new wage scale was put into effect, calling for an increase of wages for practictly every man employed in the mills and offices. The men averaging a pay of $4 per day received an advancement of ten per cent. Those making less than an average of $4 per day received an advancement in wages of 20 per cent. In the face of this increase, the mill workers are understood to look coldly upon the prospect of striking.

## VICTROLA RECITAL ATTRACTS INTEREST

Much interest is being manifested tonight in the Victrola recital to be given at the First Baptist church. The affair to be given under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's Union will be out of the ordinary, and the program to be rendered will be of the best. The Baptist Young People's Union with this event is beginning a series of affairs for the building fund of the church. The program is to be started at 8 o'clock tonight and will be followed by a social.

See the big three reel special at the Star today, "The Queen of Carmargue." Also other good ones. 163-t2

# SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT GROWING

Votes for women had four big state victories during the past week. In New York, the equal suffrage bill passed both houses of the legislature by the overwhelming majorities of 123 to 7 in the house and 46 to 1 in the senate. As in Pennsylvania so in New York, the bill must be passed again by the next legislature and can then be submitted to the people in November 1915. The equal suffrage bill passed both houses of the legislature in Montana and South Dakota. As the constitutions of these two states do not require that an amendment be agreed to by two submitted to the voters in November 1914. In Nevada, the equal suffrage bill has already passed one legislature and last week was passed by the general assembly for the second time. If passed by the senate, it will come before the people in November 1914 or at as pecial election in October, 1913.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY ENJOYABLE EVENT

Miss Erma Holyfield was tendered a surprise by a number of her girl [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield on Fallowfield avenue Monday evening. The event was arranged as a birthday party. The guest list consisted of the members of the Bachelor Girls' club, of which Miss Holyfield is a member and several other friends. Music was one of the chief diversions. A most enjoyable time was had.

# PLEAS OF GUILT BRING QUICK SENTENCES TO MANY OFFENDERS

## CHARLEROI LAD WINNER OF RACE

The two mile roller race at the Charleroi Rink Monday was won by Lew Hornetter of Charleroi in the fast time of 6:35. Powell took the lead at the gun and retained it for the first mile, when Hornetter with a fine burst of speed passed him and gained a lap, which he held until the end.

Both boys showed fine speed and much interest was manifested by the large crowd that was present. The timers were John J. Bell of Pittsburg, Mr. Phillips of California. The referee was H. L. Swickey of Charleroi.

Ralph Bayne is spending the day in Uniontown on business.

## Tom Timber, of Canonsburg, Said to be Concerned in White Slave Traffic, Admits Wrongdoing.

Tom Timber of Canonsburg, arrested on seven charges, for selling liquor without license and on Sunday, keeping a bawdy house and pandering admitted his guilt before the court Monday of all the charges. Timber is one that is alleged to have connected with the white slave trade extending through several towns, news of which was given out by District Attorney R. G. Miller last week. At the suggestion of District Attorney Miller the court deferred sentence until later and Timber was remanded to

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## THE PREVENTIVE METHOD.

At the quarterly returns of the constables at the meeting of the grand jury at Washington Monday, Judge J. A. McIlvaine gave some instructions and advice, which if carried out will have a material effect in preserving law and order, as well as saving the county many dollars in costs. This advice was for the constables to go to those whom they suspect of violating the law and warn them that they are under suspicion, and that if they persist in violating the law they will be returned and prosecuted. This, the court, said, would in most cases have a restraining effect and would reduce the violations of the law fully fifty per cent.

Judge McIlvaine's instructions were approved by District Attorney R. G. Miller, who stated that he had outlined a similar course for the constables to follow. This procedure if vigorously carried out by the constables will do more toward preventing violations than the occasional arrest and prosecutions of flagrant offenders. In this respect the constables can be materially assisted by the citizens, many of whom have a knowledge of violations of the law, but would be unable to furnish specific testimony. A warning from the officers of the law has a most potent influence in restraining violations, and this is what is most desired—to prevent violations of the law, rather than to catch and prosecute offenders.

## COLD STORAGE.

The cold storage question has latterly assumed such an importance in the daily life of the people that members of the present legislature at Harrisburg are certain to deal with it in a different spirit from their predecessors, says the Philadelphia Press. Two years ago a bill to regulate the cold storage business in Pennsylvania was fought without intermission to the end. It finally died with hundreds of other bills when the adjournment came.

"The temper of the public was not fully aroused then. Cold storage was not recognized as a dominating factor in the increasing cost of living. The people are better informed now. Massachusetts had had a law regulating cold storage for several years. During recent campaign to sell eggs in Philadelphia at twenty-four cents a dozen it was alleged that the supplies were forced on the market by the New York law which prevents the sale of eggs after they have been longer than eight months in cold storage.

"Whether this was true or not, the fact remains that the people of Massachusetts has had a law regulating states are protected from the sale of food which has been kept too long in cold storage and the people of Pennsylvania are not. Such a statute is in the line of progressive legislation in which all parties are equally interested. It is essential to the public health and the public welfare.

"All should unite in framing an act which will give the largest possible measure of protection to the public, insuring pure and healthful food. A time limit should be set on the cold storage [illegible]. Experience in other states has clearly shown what this limit should be for meats, eggs and butter. To that end all provisions in cold storage should be dated and frequent inspection provided, together with such other regulations as will make the Pennsylvania law a model.

"The need of the law is self-evident and this is a year in which the voice of the people is heard with attention as never before by any legislature."

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Well did you ever. One fellow is trying to prove that his wife's Reno divorce wasn't a good one.

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A society leader says the turkey trot is all right when it is not overdone. Uh huh, its about as graceful as a camel lope.

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Washington students are planning to break up the suffragette parade by the use of mice and rats. Heavings, girls, let's don't march.

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Another revolution has been reported in Mexico. But that's merely perpetual motion.

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Perhaps the turkey trot wouldn't be so bad if the orchestra didn't try to accompany it with Turkish ragtime.

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Vesta No. 4 is the biggest coal mine in the world. Of course it has to be in Washington county.

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It seems to be a common human failure for one to believe he can do the other man's work a heap better than the other man is doing it.

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Berger says Congressmen are on the whole honest. Inasmuch as he is a Socialist and a lonely one at that in the present Congress, his word will be believed.

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It looks as though the groundhog would have to be believed whether he is popular or not.

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Ingratitude is a hobo in jail during hard winter insurrection taking to get out.

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## PICKED UP IN PASSING

The Canonsburg Notes states that a citizen of that town who was in Pittsburg recently stopped in a restaurant to get his supper. With his dessert he concluded to order cake, and finally selected a variety called Washington. It proved to be delicious; it was white as snow and in every way a splendid bit of pastry.

Next time the Cononsburger was in this restaurant he called for Washington cake, and the waiter brought him a slice of dark-colored stuff. The patron at once "called" the waiter and reminded him that what he wanted was Washington cake not the kind that had been brought him. But the waiter insisted that this particular variety was Washington cake, whereupon the Cononsburg man replied:

"Well, I don't care if it is; what I want is George Washington cake, not Booker T."

"I am often tempted to publish a code of ethics for those who attend moving picture shows," said a woman of the hilltop district, who has the moving picture habit in a rational way. "What I would like to impress upon people is that when they arise to let others pass them to seats further in the row, that they should remember that they are not transparent and sit down as quickly as possible. Women are the worst offenders in this respect. I have often seen a woman, sometimes two or three in a group, come in, and deliberately remain standing at their seats until they remove their hats and wraps and even become absorbed in watching the pictures, apparently unconscious that those behind them have their view utterly obstructed.

"One of the mysteries to me is why some persons invariably occupy the middlde or end seats of a row, and then stand up, obstructing the view of those behind them, while those who came in later crowd past to occupy the seats between the obstructor and the wall. One seat in a row is usually as good as another and if people would only make it an unwritten code to take the farthest seat in the row, and leave the unoccupied ones for newcomers, a lot of inconveniences to the audience would be avoided.

"In spite of the unwritten law about removing hats, many women and girls persist in wearing their head coverings, indifferent to the annoyance they cause others. This indifference, however, is only typical of the selfish spirit that seems to pervade society, from the highest to the lowest types. When you look about you, it is surprising how little regard people have for the rights and feelings of others, which is really the cause of the lack of civic virtue that is everywhere apparent."

## TIMELY POINTERS GIVEN BY COURT FOR CONSTABLES' GUIDANCE

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he had noticed that one or two constables had stated they had suspicions of violations of the law. The court stated to the officers that it was their duty, as officers in a township, ward or borough, besides making a return to the court, to go to parties whom they suspect are violating the law, and tell them of their suspicions and warn them to cease what they are doing.

"Your duties," the court stated, "are the same as a policeman's. You can go to those, alleged to be violating the law, tell them to stop, or otherwise be prosecuted."

The court stated that if these vio- a good many complaints reached the court concerning boys under 18 years of age frequenting pool rooms, and gambling in pool rooms and of the sale of cigarets to minors. The court impressed upon the constables to keep their eyes open and if they observed or learned of these things to go to the parties violating the law, tell them to stop, and if they did not do so prosecute them.

"If you would do this," the court stated, "you would reduce violations of the law 50 per cent, without any exertion on your part or any costs to the county."

The court stated it knew the difficulties constables had in securing evidence in cases, on account of witnesses not being reliable, but that by exercising the prerogative stated above they could accomplish considerable.

The court stated that is these violators of the law were warned and knew they were watched they would cease what they were doing.

District Attorney Miller, stated the court had outlined about what he had in mind. He referred to violation of the law in the playing of pea pool in billiard rooms, and of the sale of cigarets to minors. A large majority of the constables answered the roll call.


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### To Dedicate School Building.

The Bentleyville public school building which has undergone extensive improvements the past few months, will be rededicated on Friday evening, February 7, with appropriate exercises. A program for the occasion has been arranged. A feature of the exercise will be the presentation of a fine large American flag to the school by the members of the Daughters of American Pioneers.

### Charged With Violating Mine Laws.

On information made by Mine Inspector Charles P. McGregor, John Bailey was committed to jail in default of bail for violation of the mining laws. Bailey, who was employed in the Francis mine of the Pittsburg-Buffalo Coal company at Burgettstown, had passed a danger signal. He plead guilty to the charge.

### Called to Illinois Church.

Rev. R. T. Lynd of Claysville has received a unanimous call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Morris, Ill. Morris is a growing town of 5,000 population and is the county seat of Grundy county. It is situated about 20 miles from Joliet and about 60 miles from Chicago. Mr. Lynd has taken the call under advisement.

### Basket Ball.

Donora Five will play Charleroi at the Charleroi Rink Thursday Feb. 6, 1913. Both teams have been going good and a fast game is promised. Game called at 8:45. Skating before and after. Admission 25 cents including skates. 164-t3

### Dancing Wednesday.

In Might's Auditorium. Private lessons from 2 to 4 and 7 to 8:30. Children's lessons 4 to 6. Dancing 8:30 to 11:39. R. O. Blackburn instructor. 164-t1


# MRS. HOWARD WAGNER

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Services will be held at St. Jerome's Catholic church in the morning at 8 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock.

# PURE FOOD LAWS ENFORCED DURING ADMINISTRATION

Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust has issued a statement to the effect that during the first two years of Governor Tener's administration the agents of the food bureau purchased and the chemists analyzed 15,397 food samples, and that there were terminated 2,078 cases for violations of the various food laws. The money received by the bureau from fines, costs and license fees totaled $257,118.97, while for the maintenance of the bureau the expenditures were $164,941.70, or $92,177.27 more than self-sustaining. The commissioner noted that all money received by the bureau is paid at once into the State Treasury for the use of the Commonwealth and that the bureau is maintained exclusively from a specific legislative apropriation. The years 1911 and 1912, the first two years of Governor Tener's administration, break all records for effective work since the food bureau was created.


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After the ceremony the couple left on a morning train, together with a number of their friends for Donora, where there was a wedding breakfast served at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Margaret Alcott. Tonight the couple will leave for Cleveland, Ohio, where they will spend several days. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will go to housekeeping in Allenport, where a home has already been furnished.

The young couple have a wide circle of friends who extend congratulations and good wishes.

### School Board to Meet.

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# REMNANT SALE

**Comes But Twice a Year at Our Store. This Year It Comes**

## THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6th AND 7th,

Every woman in the valley knows what Remnant Sale means at Berryman's---and they look forward to this Semi-Annual Riddance of Remnants, as a money saver. There will be piles of Remnants of Silks, Dress Goods, Linens, Percales, Calicoes, Muslins, Flanels, Laces, Embroideries, Flouncings, Trimmings, Etc. And these are all our own remnants---remnants from our own stock. There are no bought up remnants here. There'll be remnants of carpets, linoleums. oil cloths---Special prices on Ladies' Suits, Coats, Furs---on Men's and Boy's Suits and Overcoats---Special prices on odd and soiled curtains, portiers, etc. They are all Red Ink Ticketed. Red Ink Prices Rule at this sale. They move the goods.

**Ladies' Suits**

$30, $27.50 and $25.00 Ladies' Suits

Remnant sale price $15

$20.00 Ladies' Suits .....$12.00
$15.00 and $16.50 Ladies' Suits Remnant Sale Price .....$8.00

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps

Men's $3.00 Soft Hats .....$2.25
Men's $2.50 Soft Hats .....$1.48
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Men's and Boy's $1.50 Soft Hat ..... $1.15
Men's and Boy's $1.00 and $1.25 Soft Hats .....79c
Men's and Boy's $1.00 Caps ..79c
One Lot of 50c Caps.....39c

Men's Dress Pants at Remnant Sale Prices.

Men's $2.50 Dress Pant now.$1.98
Men's $3.00 Dress Pants now.2.25
Men's 3.50 Dress Pants now..2.50
Men's 4.00 Dress Pants now..2.98
Men's 5.00 Dress Pants now..3.75

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# Remnant Sale!

**REMNANT SALE PRICES ON SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR MEN YOUNG MEN AND THE LITTLE FELLOWS.**

| | | | | | |
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| $10.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | $7.50 | $2.50 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | $1.98 |
| 12.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 8.50 | 3.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 2.25 |
| 15.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 9.75 | 3.50 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 2.50 |
| 18.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 13.75 | 4.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 3.00 |
| 20.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 14.50 | 5.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 3.75 |
| 22.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 16.50 | 6.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 4.25 |
| 25.00 | Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 16.50 | 7.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 5.25 |
| | | | 8.00 | Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now ..... | 5.75 |

**Store opens at 8 o'clock, not before. Thursday and Friday, 6th and 7th.**

**Furs!**

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All Ladies and Childrens Furs One Half Price.

None reserved—not even the minks. The open winter has left us with entirely too many—so all must go at one-half price.

Bargains in Boys' Short Pants.

Boy's 50c Pants now .....39c
Boys' 75c Pants now .....59c
Boys' $1.00 Pants now .....79c
Boys' $1.25 Pants now .....89c
Boys' $1.50 Pants now .....$1.19

Low Prices on Mens' Flannelette Pajamas and Night Shirts.

Men's $2.00 Flannelette Pajamas Now .....$1.48
Men's $1.50 Flanelette Pajamas Now .....$1.19
Men's $1.00 Flanelette Pajamas Now .....79c
Men's $1.00 Flanelette Night Shirts .....79c
Men's 75c Flanelette Night Shirts .....59c
Men's 50c Flanelette Night Shirts Now .....39c

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## SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

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Miss Nora Wright left today for her home in Carmichaels after visiting here with relatives.

Dr. H. H. Hill left this morning for Philadelphia on a business trip.

Mrs. Laura Hager of Moundsville, W. Va., was a visitor in Charleroi Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Hunter went to Washington today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Warne, the wife of her cousin, Boyd Warne, Esq.

## SQUAB SUPPER SERVED AS RESULT OF BILLIARD MATCH

As a penalty for losing in a billard tournament at the Elks Home, J. B. Schaffer's team, composed of 22 members, banquetted the winning team composed of a like number under the captaincy of R. O. Vetter Monday evening. About 70 members and guests of the two teams were in attendance. A squab supper was served, at which the "Bingville" orchestra discoursed music. After the supper there was a jury trial of several of the members for offenses of omission and commission during the tournament. This was exceedingly spirited and productive of much fun. Convictions were secured in some of the cases and suitable penalties imposed. The supper was a happy culmination of a most enjoyable tournament.

### Cashier Resigns.

Adolph Homann, who for several years has been cashier of the First National Bank of Monessen has resigned that position and will leave in April for San Francisco, where he has accepted a position of responsi- [illegible] Insurance company.

Thre will be a dance given in the Bank Hall, Charleroi on Tuesday, February 4 by Spridak Bros., managers. Music furnished by Vezelte and Jones Orchestra. 163-t2

## NORTH CHARLEROI

Andrew Scott called on friends in Monessen Monday.

O. R. Chew is slowly recovering from a slight attack of pneumonia.

Leroy Honsaker was visiting friends and relatives in Brownsville Sunday.

Frank Phillips and Ed. Newell were calling on friends in Monongahela Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskil and children attended church in Fayette City Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Zimmerman and son Lloyd visited the former's mother, Mrs. Caroline Moss of Carroll township Sunday.

Herman Phillips returned to his home near Uniontown Sunday evening after spending a few days with his sisters Miss Grace Phillips and Mrs. Lenora Foulks.

Miss Helen Phillops a student of the public school has been very ill for about a week at her home on Fourth street. She is slowly improving.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brant have been very ill with diptheria.

The Valley Crystal Ice and Cold Storage company are sending large orders away by freight. Monday they sent two cars of apples away.

Miss Edna Weight has resumed her school duties after being ill with tonsilitis for a few weeks.

Miss Mamie Rockwell a teacher of room No. 2 in the public school has been off duty for about a week with tonsilitis and is now suffering with quinsey. Her place is being filled by a substitute.

W. J. Foulks and Herman Phillips visited Mrs. William McCreary at Monessen Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Linn of Washington was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and Mrs. Hiram Myers for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. McGirr of North side, Pittsburg visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Hiram Myers of this place and Mrs. G. T. Crosby of Belle Vernon were shopping in Pittsburg Friday.

Word was received here recently from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Acker of Mount Claire, near Philadelphia, of the death of their two-year-old son. Just two weeks ago they buried their five-year-old daughter. Both children died from the effects of measels. Mrs. Acker was formerly Miss Lottie Higginbotham of this place.

Thomas Richey returned to his home Sunday evening to Northside, Pittsburg after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Myers a few days.

Mrs. H. M. Boyer and Miss Anna Duvall spent Sunday at McKees Rocks.

Ralph Richards of Pittsburg called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Scott of Northside, Pittsburg visited her sister Mrs. Belle McCule for a few days.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooper are suffering from the chicken-pox.

Edward Newell visited friends in Monongahela Sunday evening.

Mrs. B. W. Boyer was visiting friends in Belle Vernon Monday.

Joseph Nutt of Doylestown, Bucks county is visiting friends and relatives here.

## PLEAS OF GUILT BRING QUICK SENTENCES TO OFFENDERS

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jail.

A number of pleas of guilty were heard by Judge McIlvaine. Among them were: James L. Mason, of McDonald, for selling liquor illegally, also for carrying a gun, sentenced to total fine on all charges of $551 and sent to jail for six months; John Krofa, of Meadowlands, for selling liquor illegally, sentenced to four months in jail, the same sentence for the same charges was given to George Hillman, of Monongahela; Samuel Asbury of Washington, for assaulting Ned Williams, a street car conductor, sentenced to pay fine of $1 and costs and undergo imprisonment for 60 days; Ollie Phillips, of Burgettstown, for larceny, sentenced to pay costs and fine of $1 and undergo imprisonment for 60 days; Louis Maleppa of Canonsburg for violations of the liquor laws, sentence suspended because of sickness at home; Vino Fortunato, of Marianna for wantonly pointing firearms, sentenced to pay costs and fine of $50 and to undergo imprisonment for five months in the workhouse; John Bailey of Burgettstown, for passing danger board in a mine, sentenced to $10 fine and costs or 30 days in jail; Isaac Levenstein of Cecil for keeping a gambling house, fined $50 and ordered to pay costs; James Kennedy of Canonsburg, relased on parole; Thomas Maloney of Ellsworth, for failure to support wife and children, sentenced to pay his wife $4 a week; Francis O'Farrel, Mike Carr and Fred. Abray, for malicious mischief, sentenced to pay fine each of $3 and costs.

## Classified Ads.

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five roomed flats, with all conveniences Inquire 231 McKean avenue. 160t6p

### WANTED.

WANTED—Washing to take home and cleaning by the day. Plain sewing to do by the day or week. Addwress No. 203 Mail office. 160t3p

### LOST.

LOST—Stickpin, knot of gold with diamond center. Reward if left at Mail office. 164-t3

## PAVING PETITION MAY BE PRESENTED TO COUNCIL TONIGHT

Council will hold its regular February meeting tonight. The routine of monthly business is scheduled. It is understood also that a petition for paving of a portion of Fallowfield avenue at the lower end of town will be presented. This petition is five years old, but for the occasion will be rejuvenated.

### Episcopal Services Tomorrow.

Tomorrow being Ash Wednesday, services will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal church at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which will be an address and celebration of the communion.

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